

Subst. Form PTO-1449

Atty. Docket No. 12873/04169

Serial No.: 09/967,274

APPLICANT'S INFORMATION  
DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Applicant: Richey, II

Filing Date: September 27, 2001

Group: 3761

## U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

Initial*		Document No.	Date	Name	Class	Subcl.	Filing Date
<i>ope</i>	AA	4,011,859	Mar. 15, 1977	Frankenberger			
	AB	4,350,166	Sep. 21, 1982	Mobarry			
	AC	4,506,678	Mar. 26, 1985	Russell et al.			
	AD	4,648,396	Mar. 10, 1987	Raemer			
	AE	4,655,213	Apr. 7, 1987	Rapoport et al.			
	AF	4,713,558	Dec. 15, 1987	Russell et al.			
	AG	4,728,499	Mar. 1, 1988	Fehder			
	AH	4,817,013	Mar. 28, 1989	Corenman et al.			
	AI	4,944,310	Jul. 31, 1990	Sullivan			
	AJ	4,994,117	Feb. 19, 1991	Fehder			
	AK	5,065,756	Nov. 19, 1991	Rapoport			
	AL	5,117,819	Jun. 2, 1992	Servidio et al.			
	AM	5,124,129	Jun. 23, 1992	Riccitelli et al.			
	AN	5,134,995	Aug. 4, 1992	Gruenke et al.			
	AO	5,148,802	Aug. 12, 1997	Sanders et al.			
	AP	5,166,075	Nov. 24, 1992	Fehder			

## FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

		Document No.	Date	Country	Class	Subcl.	Translation?
	AQ						
	AR						

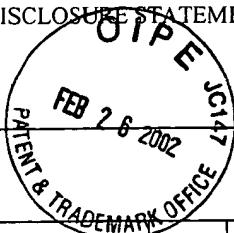
## OTHER DOCUMENTS

	AS	
	AT	
	AU	
	AV	
	AW	

Examiner: *Janet Ego*Date Considered: *4/16/03*

\*EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; draw line through citation if in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

RECEIVED  
 MAR 1 2002  
 TECHNOLOGY CENTER R3700



Subst. Form PTO-1449

Atty. Docket No. 12873/04169

Serial No.: 09/967,274

APPLICANT'S INFORMATION  
DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Applicant: Richey, II

Filing Date: September 27, 2001

Group: 3761



## U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

		Document No.	Date	Name	Class	Subcl.	Filing Date
<i>Cpe</i>	AA	5,179,002	Jan. 12, 1993	Fehder			
	AB	5,199,424	Apr. 6, 1993	Sullivan et al.			
	AC	5,203,343	Apr. 20, 1993	Axe et al.			
	AD	5,239,995	Aug. 31, 1993	Estes et al.			
	AE	5,245,995	Sep. 21, 1993	Sullivan et al.			
	AF	5,279,289	Jan. 18, 1994	Kirk			
	AG	5,313,937	May 24, 1994	Zdrojowski			
	AH	5,335,654	Aug. 9, 1994	Rapoport			
	AI	5,343,878	Sep. 6, 1994	Scarberry et al.			
	AJ	5,353,788	Oct. 11, 1994	Miles			
	AK	5,394,882	Mar. 7, 1995	Mawhinney			
	AL	5,433,193	Jul. 18, 1995	Sanders et al.			
	AM	5,438,980	Aug. 8, 1995	Phillips			
	AN	5,445,160	Aug. 29, 1995	Culver et al.			
	AO	5,456,249	Oct. 10, 1995	Kirk			
	AP	5,458,137	Oct. 17, 1995	Axe et al.			

## FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

		Document No.	Date	Country	Class	Subcl.	Translation?
	AQ						
	AR						

## OTHER DOCUMENTS

	AS	
	AT	
	AU	
	AV	
	AW	

Examiner: *Jan P. Gyi*Date Considered: *1/16/03*

\*EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; draw line through citation if in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

RECEIVED  
MAR-1 2002  
MAIL ROOM  
TC 3700

Subst. Form PTO-1449

Atty. Docket No. 12873/04169

Serial No.: 09/967,274

APPLICANT'S INFORMATION  
DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Applicant: Richey, II

Filing Date: September 27, 2001

Group: 3761

## U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

Initial*	Document No.	Date	Name	Class	Subcl.	Filing Date
AA	5,490,502	Feb. 13, 1996	Rapoport et al.			
AB	5,492,113	Feb. 20, 1996	Estes et al.			
AC	5,503,146	Apr. 2, 1996	Froehlich et al.			
AD	5,522,382	Jun. 4, 1996	Sullivan et al.			
AE	Re. 35,295	Jul. 16, 1996	Estes et al.			
AF	5,535,738	Jul. 16, 1996	Estes et al.			
AG	5,535,739	Jul. 16, 1996	Rapoport et al.			
AH	5,537,997	Jul. 23, 1996	Mechlenburg et al.			
AI	5,540,219	Jul. 30, 1996	Mechlenburg et al.			
AJ	5,546,933	Aug. 20, 1996	Rapoport et al.			
AK	5,549,106	Aug. 27, 1996	Gruenke et al.			
AL	5,551,418	Sep. 3, 1996	Estes et al.			
AM	5,551,419	Sep. 3, 1996	Froehlich et al.			
AN	5,558,638	Sep. 24, 1996	Evers et al.			
AO	Re. 35,339	Oct. 1, 1996	Rapoport			
AP	5,592,938	Jan. 14, 1997	Scarberry et al.			

## FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

Document No.	Date	Country	Class	Subcl.	Translation?
AQ					
AR					

## OTHER DOCUMENTS

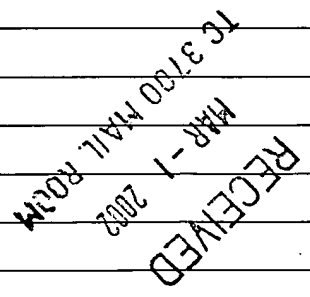
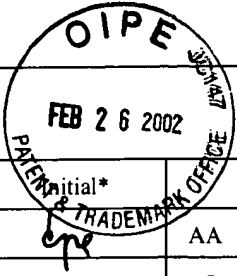
AS	
AT	
AU	
AV	
AW	

Examiner:

Date Considered:

4/16/03

\*EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; draw line through citation if in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.



Subst. Form PTO-1449

Atty. Docket No. 12873/04169

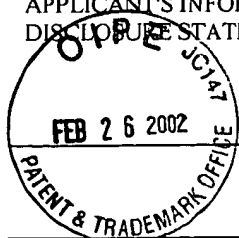
Serial No.: 09/967,274

APPLICANT'S INFORMATION  
DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Applicant: Richey, II

Filing Date: September 27, 2001

Group: 3761



## U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

Initial*		Document No.	Date	Name	Class	Subcl.	Filing Date
474	AA	5,598,838	Feb. 4, 1997	Servidio et al.			
	AB	5,630,411	May 20, 1997	Holscher			
	AC	5,632,269	May 27, 1997	Zdrojkowski			
	AD	5,655,522	Aug. 12, 1997	Mechlenburg et al.			
	AE	5,679,884	Oct. 21, 1997	Kirk			
	AF	5,682,878	Nov. 4, 1997	Ogden			
	AG	5,694,923	Dec. 9, 1997	Hete et al.			
	AH	5,701,883	Dec. 30, 1997	Hete et al.			
	AI	5,704,345	Jan. 6, 1998	Berthon-Jones			
	AJ	5,715,812	Feb. 10, 1998	Deighan et al.			
	AK	5,738,106	Apr. 14, 1998	Yamamori et al.			
	AL	5,740,795	Apr. 21, 1998	Brydon			
	AM	5,765,563	Jun. 16, 1998	Vander Schaaf			
	AN	5,794,614	Aug. 18, 1998	Gruenke et al.			
	AO	5,794,615	Aug. 18, 1998	Estes			
	AP	5,803,065	Sep. 8, 1998	Zdrojkowski et al.			

## FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

		Document No.	Date	Country	Class	Subcl.	Translation?
	AQ						
	AR						

## OTHER DOCUMENTS

	AS	
	AT	
	AU	
	AV	
	AW	

Examiner: *Jan P. G.*Date Considered: *4/16/03*

RECEIVED  
MAR-1 2002  
TC 3708 MAIL ROOM

\*EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; draw line through citation if in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

Subst. Form PTO-1449

Atty. Docket No. 12873/04169

Serial No.: 09/967,274

APPLICANT'S INFORMATION  
DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Applicant: Richey, II

Filing Date: September 27, 2001

Group: 3761

## U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

Initial		Document No.	Date	Name	Class	Subcl.	Filing Date
<i>cre</i>	AA	5,803,066	Sep. 8, 1998	Rapoport et al.			
	AB	5,823,187	Oct. 20, 1998	Estes et al.			
	AC	5,845,636	Dec. 8, 1998	Gruenke et al.			
	AD	5,865,173	Feb. 2, 1999	Froehlich			
	AE	5,881,717	Mar. 16, 1999	Isaza			
	AF	5,881,723	Mar. 16, 1999	Wallace et al.			
	AG	5,901,704	May 11, 1999	Estes et al.			
	AH	5,904,141	May 18, 1999	Estes et al.			
	AI	5,915,379	Jun. 29, 1999	Wallace et al.			
	AJ	5,915,380	Jun. 29, 1999	Wallace et al.			
	AK	5,927,274	Jul. 27, 1999	Servidio et al.			
	AL	5,937,851	Aug. 17, 1999	Serowski et al.			
	AM	5,947,115	Sep. 7, 1999	Lordo et al.			
	AN	5,953,713	Sep. 14, 1999	Behbehani et al.			
	AO	5,970,975	Oct. 26, 1999	Estes et al.			
	AP	6,017,315	Jan. 25, 2000	Starr et al.			

## FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

		Document No.	Date	Country	Class	Subcl.	Translation?
	AQ						
	AR						

## OTHER DOCUMENTS

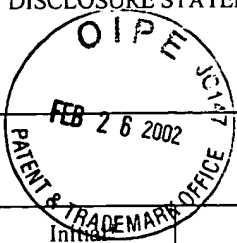
	AS	
	AT	
	AU	
	AV	
	AW	

Examiner:

Date Considered:

4/16/03

\*EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; draw line through citation if in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.



RECEIVED  
MAR -1 2003  
TC 3700 MAIL ROOM

Subst. Form PTO-1449

Atty. Docket No. 12873/04169

Serial No.: 09/967,274

APPLICANT'S INFORMATION  
DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Applicant: Richey, II

Filing Date: September 27, 2001

Group: 3761

## U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

Initial*		Document No.	Date	Name	Class	Subcl.	Filing Date
<i>lre</i>	AA	6,024,089	Feb. 15, 2000	Wallace et al.			
	AB	6,026,312	Feb. 15, 2000	Shemwell et al.			
	AC	6,029,660	Feb. 29, 2000	Calluaud et al.			
	AD	6,029,664	Feb. 29, 2000	Zdrojkowski et al.			
	AE	6,029,665	Feb. 29, 2000	Berthon-Jones			
	AF	6,044,843	Apr. 4, 2000	O'Neil et al.			
	AG	6,085,747	Jul. 11, 2000	Axe et al.			
	AH	6,091,973	Jul. 18, 2000	Colla et al.			
	AI	6,095,974	Aug. 1, 2000	Shemwell et al.			
	AJ	6,102,042	Aug. 15, 2000	Hete et al.			
	AK	6,105,575	Aug. 22, 2000	Estes et al.			
	AL	6,123,074	Sep. 26, 2000	Hete et al.			
	AM	6,123,075	Sep. 26, 2000	Kirk			
	AN	6,135,106	Oct. 24, 2000	Dirks et al.			
	AO	6,138,675	Oct. 31, 2000	Berthon-Jones			
	AP	6,142,952	Nov. 7, 2000	Behbehani et al.			

## FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

		Document No.	Date	Country	Class	Subcl.	Translation?
	AQ						
	AR						

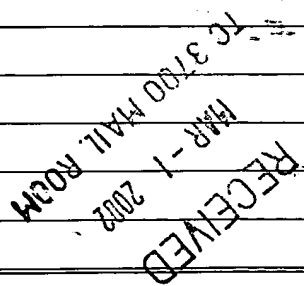
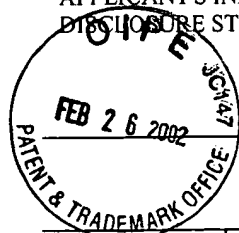
## OTHER DOCUMENTS

	AS	
	AT	
	AU	
	AV	
	AW	

Examiner:

Date Considered:

\*EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; draw line through citation if in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.



Subst. Form PTO-1449

Atty. Docket No. 12873/04169

Serial No.: 09/967,274

APPLICANT'S INFORMATION  
DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Applicant: Richey, II

Filing Date: September 27, 2001

Group: 3761

## U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

Initial	Document No.	Date	Name	Class	Subcl.	Filing Date
dpe	AA 6,152,129	Nov. 28, 2000	Berthon-Jones			
	AB 6,155,986	Dec. 5, 2000	Brydon et al.			
	AC 6,182,657	Feb. 6, 2001	Brydon et al.			
	AD 6,183,423	Feb. 6, 2001	Gaumont et al.			
	AE 6,212,435	Apr. 3, 2001	Lattner et al.			
	AF 6,213,119	Apr. 10, 2001	Brydon et al.			
	AG 6,237,592	May 29, 2001	Surjadi et al.			
	AH 6,237,593	May 29, 2001	Brydon			
	AI 6,240,921	Jun. 5, 2001	Brydon et al.			
	AJ 2001/0004894	Jun. 28, 2001	Bourdon			
	AK 6,253,764	Jul. 3, 2001	Calluud			
	AL 6,257,234	Jul. 10, 2001	Sun			
	AM 6,269,811	Aug. 7, 2001	Duff et al.			
	AN 6,269,812	Aug. 7, 2001	Wallace et al.			
	AO 2001/0015204	Aug. 23, 2001	Hansen et al.			
	AP 6,279,569	Aug. 28, 2001	Berthon-Jones			

## FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

Document No.	Date	Country	Class	Subcl.	Translation?
AQ					
AR					

## OTHER DOCUMENTS

AS	
AT	
AU	
AV	
AW	

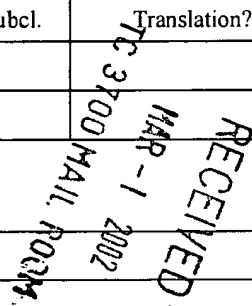
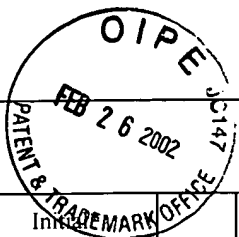
Examiner:

*James P. Greys*

Date Considered:

*4/16/03*

\*EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; draw line through citation if in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.



Subst. Form PTO-1449

Atty. Docket No. 12873/04169

Serial No.: 09/967,274

APPLICANT'S INFORMATION  
DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Applicant: Richey, II

Filing Date: September 27, 2001

Group: 3761

## U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

	Document No.	Date	Name	Class	Subcl.	Filing Date
AA	6,299,581	Oct. 9, 2001	Rapoport et al.			
AB	2001/0027791	Oct. 11, 2001	Wallace et al.			
AC	2001/0027792	Oct. 11, 2001	Berthon-Jones et al.			
AD	6,302,105	Oct. 16, 2001	Wickham et al.			
AE	6,305,372	Oct. 23, 2001	Servidio			
AF	6,305,373	Oct. 23, 2001	Wallace et al.			
AG	6,305,374	Oct. 23, 2001	Zdrojkowski et al.			
AH	2001/0035186	Nov. 1, 2001	Hill			
AI						
AJ						
AK						
AL						
AM						
AN						
AO						
AP						

## FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

	Document No.	Date	Country	Class	Subcl.	Translation?
AQ						
AR						

## OTHER DOCUMENTS

AS	
AT	
AU	
AV	
AW	

Examiner:

Date Considered:

\*EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; draw line through citation if in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

RECEIVED  
MAR-1 2002  
TC 3700 MAIL ROOM



Subst. Form PTO-1449

Atty. Docket No.: 12873/04169

Serial No.: 09/967,274

APPLICANT'S SUPPLEMENTAL  
INFORMATION DISCLOSURE  
STATEMENT

Applicant: Richey, II

Filing Date: September 27, 2001

Group: 3761

## U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

Initial*		Document No.	Date	Name	Class	Subcl.	Filing Date
<i>me</i>	AA	4,821,736	Apr. 18, 1989	Watson			
	AB	5,193,544	Mar. 16, 1993	Jaffe			
	AC	5,332,901	Jul. 26, 1994	Eckles et al.			
	AD	5,954,050	Sep. 21, 1999	Christopher			
	AE	6,099,481	Aug. 8, 2000	Daniels et al.			
	AF						
	AG						
	AH						
	AI						
	AJ						
	AK						

RECEIVED

JAN 03 2003

TECHNOLOGY CENTER R3700

## FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

		Document No.	Date	Country	Class	Subcl.	Translation?
	AL						
	AM						
	AN						
	AO						
	AP						

## OTHER DOCUMENTS

	AQ	
	AR	

Examiner:

*Dominic P. Eusep*

Date Considered:

*4/16/03*

\*EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; draw line through citation if in conformance and not considered.  
Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.